

**U.S. District Court
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:18-cv-02208-RC**

JUDICIAL WATCH, INC. v. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF
ENERGY

Assigned to: Judge Rudolph Contreras
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 09/24/2018

Jury Demand: None

Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of
Information Act

Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

Plaintiff

JUDICIAL WATCH, INC.

represented by **James F. Peterson**
JUDICIAL WATCH, INC.
425 Third Street, SW
Suite 800
Washington, DC 20024
(202) 646-5172
Fax: (202) 646-5199
Email: jpeterson@judicialwatch.org
ATTORNEY TO BE NOTICED

V.

Defendant

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

represented by **Scott Leeson Sroka**
U.S. ATTORNEY'S OFFICE FOR THE
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
555 Fourth Street, NW
Washington, DC 20530
(202) 252-7113
Fax: (202) 252-2599
Email: scott.sroka@usdoj.gov
LEAD ATTORNEY
ATTORNEY TO BE NOTICED

Date Filed	#	Docket Text
09/24/2018	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY (Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number 0090-5703199) filed by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC.. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>2</u> Summons U.S. Attorney for the District of Columbia, # <u>3</u> Summons U.S. Attorney General, # <u>4</u> Summons U.S. Department of Energy)(Peterson, James) (Entered: 09/24/2018)
09/24/2018	<u>2</u>	LCvR 7.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC. (Peterson, James) (Entered: 09/24/2018)
09/26/2018		Case Assigned to Judge Rudolph Contreras. (zsb) (Entered: 09/26/2018)
09/26/2018	<u>3</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachment: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(zsb) (Entered: 09/26/2018)
10/04/2018	<u>4</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 10/1/2018. (Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 10/31/2018.), RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 10/1/2018., RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY served on 10/1/2018 (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Affidavit of Cristina Rotaru)(Peterson, James) (Entered: 10/04/2018)

10/31/2018	<u>5</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Scott Leeson Sroka on behalf of All Defendants (Sroka, Scott) (Entered: 10/31/2018)
10/31/2018	<u>6</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY.(Sroka, Scott) (Entered: 10/31/2018)
10/31/2018		MINUTE ORDER: It is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall meet, confer, and jointly submit a proposed briefing schedule by November 14, 2018. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Rudolph Contreras on 10/31/2018. (lcrc2) (Entered: 10/31/2018)
11/14/2018	<u>7</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY. (Sroka, Scott) (Entered: 11/14/2018)
11/14/2018		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>7</u> the parties' joint status report, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall submit another joint status report by December 14, 2018. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Rudolph Contreras on 11/14/2018. (lcrc2) (Entered: 11/14/2018)
11/15/2018		Set/Reset Deadlines: Status Report due by 12/14/2018. (tj) (Entered: 11/15/2018)
12/14/2018	<u>8</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC.. (Peterson, James) (Entered: 12/14/2018)
12/14/2018		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>8</u> the parties' Joint Status Report, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties will file another joint status report by January 31, 2019. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Rudolph Contreras on December 14, 2018. (lcrc2) (Entered: 12/14/2018)